



DECLARATION FOR NON-PROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION*

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AUTOMATED SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREPARING AN ASSAY READY BIOLOGICAL SAMPLE

and for which a patent application:

is attached hereto and includes amendment(s) filed on (if applicable)
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above

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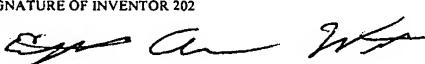
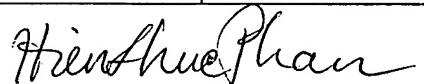
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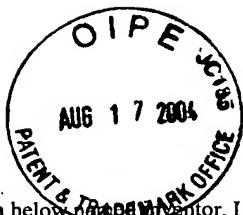
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**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE
AND EXCLUSION OF INVENTOR(S) UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.71
WITH STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The undersigned assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified subject application hereby appoints Practitioners at Customer Number 20583 all of Jones Day, whose address is 222 East 41st Street, New York, New York 10017, as its attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, said appointment to be to the exclusion of the inventors and their attorney(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 3.71.

Please direct all correspondence for this application to Customer no. 20583.

Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)

Rosetta Inpharmatics LLC states that it is:

the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
 an assignee of less than the entire right, title and interest.
The extent (by, percentage) of its ownership interest is %

in the patent application/patent identified above by virtue of either:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

ASSIGNEE: Rosetta Inpharmatics LLC

Date:

7/21/04

Signature:



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